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## SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.41 (c), I am filing the attached application with 10 claims, abstract of the disclosure, 4 sheets of drawings, an unexecuted declaration, a certified copy of German application 102 59 316.7 and a filing fee on behalf of RAINER KUTH and CHRISTOPH ZINDEL and request that the application papers be assigned a serial number and filing date.

On behalf of the inventor(s), I hereby claim priority from German Application No. 102 859 316.7 filed December 18, 2002.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

Respectfully submitted,

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